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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR ARTICLE XXVIII:1 CONSULTATION WITH
AUSTRIA

REF: GATT SECRET/229 OF 1 DEC. 1975

1. FOR GENEVA: PLEASE NOTIFY GATT SECRETARIAT AND AUSTRIAN
GOVERNMENT THAT THE UNITED STATES WISHES TO ENTER INTO
CONSULTATIONS WITH AUSTRIA IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RELEVANT
PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE XXVIII REGARDING THE WITHDRAWAL BY
THE GOA OF TARIFF ITEM 85.21A1--CATHODE-RAY TUBES, TELE-
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VISION TUBES AND RECEPTION TUBES. THE U.S. IS THE SECOND

LARGEST NON-PREFERENTIAL SUPPLIER OF THIS ITEM (BEHIND JAPAN)
AND CONSIDERS THAT IT HAS A SUBSTANTIAL AND GROWING TRADE
INTEREST.

2. FYI: ALTHOUGH U.S. SALES OF THIS ITEM TO AUSTRIA ARE
QUITE LIMITED (1.5 PERCENT OF THE MARKET IN 1974) U.S. SALES
HAVE INCREASED RAPIDLY (FROM DOLLARS 14 THOUSAND IN VALUE
IN 1972 TO DOLLARS 100 THOUSAND IN 1973 AND DOLLARS 400
THOUSAND IN 1974).

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3. FOR VIENNA: ARE 1975 AUSTRIAN IMPORT STATISTICS FOR
THIS ITEM AVAILABLE? INGERSOLL

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